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**RESPONSE TO DECISION ON PAPERS UNDER 37 CFR 1.42**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Decision on Papers under 37 CFR 1.42 dated June 25, 2007.

**Remarks**

The undersigned herewith makes of record several telephone conversations with the Legal Examiner (Mr. Daniel Stemmer), the writer of the latter-identified Decision, to whom the undersigned expressed the view that neither declaration contained "non-initialed alterations." As a matter of fact, neither declaration includes any "alterations" whatever within the legal and practical meaning of the word "alterations." The alleged uninitialed alterations are the